

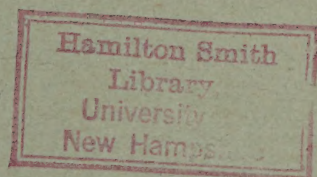
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**ANNUAL REPORTS**

**OF THE**

**Town of Newbury**

**New Hampshire**



**For the Year Ending**

**January 31, 1918**





# ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

SELECTMEN, TREASURER, ROAD AGENT,  
CEMETERY TRUSTEES, LIBRARY TRUSTEES

OF THE

## Town of Newbury NEW HAMPSHIRE

TOGETHER WITH A PARTIAL REPORT OF THE

### SCHOOL BOARD

FOR THE

Fiscal Year Ending January 31, 1918

AND THE

Vital Statistics for the year 1917

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MANCHESTER, N. H.

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## WARRANT.

### STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE.

[ L. S. ]

*To the Inhabitants of the Town of Newbury, in the County of Merrimack, in said State, qualified to vote in town affairs:*

You are hereby notified to meet at the town hall, in said Newbury, on Tuesday, the twelfth day of March next, at nine of the clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose all necessary town officers for the year ensuing.

2. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray town charges for the ensuing year, and make appropriation of the same.

3. To see if the town will vote to raise money to pay the whole or a part of the town debt.

4. To see if the town will vote to accept state aid for highways, and appropriate money for the same.

5. To see if the town will vote to raise five hundred dollars to build the road near Newbury station laid out by the selectmen.

6. To see if the town will vote to raise \$1,794 (seventeen hundred and ninety-four dollars) to continue the trunk line road.

7. To see if the town will authorize the selectmen to buy or acquire land for gravel banks in different parts of the town, to be used on highways, and appropriate money for the same.

8. To see if the town will vote to raise seventy-five dollars for Memorial day.



9. To elect a delegate to a convention to revise the constitution of the state, to be holden at Concord on June 5, 1918.

To hear the reports of agents, auditors, or officers heretofore chosen and pass any vote relating thereto.

Given under our hands and seal this twenty-third day of February, in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and eighteen.

GEORGE J. MESSER,  
FRANK B. FELLOWS,  
JOHN H. GILLINGHAM,  
*Selectmen of Newbury.*

A true copy of warrant.—Attest.

TOWN OFFICERS.

*Selectmen.*

GEORGE J. MESSER.                      FRANK B. FELLOWS.  
JOHN H. GILLINGHAM.

*Town Clerk.*

CLARENCE L. PERKINS.

*Town Treasurer.*

GEORGE H. WHEDON.

*Road Agent.*

DURA J. ROWE.

*Tax Collector.*

JOHN W. SHAW.

*Moderator.*

JOHN H. GILLINGHAM.

*Supervisors.*

NATHAN B. BLY.                      JOHN D. PEASLEE.

WALTER H. RING.

*Auditors.*

JOSEPH A. DONIGAN.                      MARK W. MUZZEY.  
JOHN D. PEASLEE.

*Library Trustees.*

HAROLD M. MESSER. JAMES C. FARMER.  
HAROLD D. PEASLEE.

*Constable.*

FRANK B. FELLOWS.

*Health Officer.*

GEORGE H. WHEDON.

*Janitor Town Hall.*

DURA J. ROWE.

*Fire Warden.*

MOODY GILLINGHAM.



## LIST OF APPROPRIATIONS FOR 1917.

State tax .....	\$1,200.00
County tax .....	1,461.78
Parsonage money .....	24.00
School fund .....	35.00
Town officers .....	800.00
Library .....	50.00
Cemeteries .....	25.00
Miscellaneous bills .....	900.00
Schools .....	1,950.00
Highway, trunk line .....	3,000.00
Maintenance, state road .....	250.00
Town highways .....	2,500.00
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Total .....	\$12,195.78

## SCHEDULE OF TOWN PROPERTY.

Town hall, land and buildings .....	\$3,600.00
Town hall, furniture and equipment .....	500.00
Highway department, land and buildings .....	500.00
Highway department, equipment .....	1,281.00
Highway department, material and supplies ...	14.50
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Total .....	\$5,895.50

## TREASURER'S REPORT.

1917.

Feb. 16.	Balance in hands of treasurer.....	\$1,143.51
	Received of:	
21.	Selectmen, lumber sold E. A. Blodgett .....	1.08
Mar. 3.	Selectmen, land deeded Etta Whedon .....	1.00
13.	John W. Shaw, tax list of 1916....	406.67

Mar.	23.	Selectmen, land sold Sunapee Lake Grange .....	\$5.00
Apr.	7.	John W. Shaw, tax list of 1916.....	103.17
June	2.	Selectmen, hired money .....	600.00
		John W. Shaw, tax list, 1916.....	93.54
July	7.	John W. Shaw, tax list, 1917.....	1,191.01
		Selectmen, aid to soldiers .....	26.00
		Selectmen, maintenance, state road ..	31.75
		Selectmen, maintenance, state road..	10.50
		Selectmen, Elisha H. Messer, trust fund .....	100.00
		Selectmen, William T. Thissell, trust fund .....	100.00
		Selectmen, Hiram B. Cheney, trust fund .....	100.00
Aug.	4.	John W. Shaw, tax list of 1917....	471.16
		Selectmen, maintenance state road..	17.94
		John W. Shaw, tax list, 1917.....	2,093.88
Sept.	1.	John W. Shaw, tax list, 1917.....	974.07
		Selectmen, dog license .....	79.20
		Selectmen, maintenance state road..	5.06
		Selectmen, paupers off farm .....	22.75
		Selectmen, aid to soldiers .....	26.00
Oct.	6.	John W. Shaw, tax list, 1917.....	940.80
		Selectmen, maintenance state road ..	14.02
		Selectmen, maintenance state road..	18.71
Nov.	3.	John W. Shaw, tax list, 1917.....	1,224.72
		Selectmen, maintenance state road..	22.56
		Selectmen, maintenance state road..	13.61
		Selectmen, taxes on lots bid off by town .....	3.82
Dec.	1.	John W. Shaw, tax list, 1917.....	3,084.20
		Selectmen, paupers off farm.....	61.00
		Selectmen, aid to soldiers .....	26.00
		Selectmen, maintenance state road..	15.60
		Selectmen, taxes on lots bid off by town .....	16.00

Dec.	1.	Selectmen, gravel sold.....	\$2.00
		Selectmen, dynamite and caps sold..	4.40
	22.	Selectmen, maintenance, state road .	2.96
		Selectmen, maintenance, state road .	13.65
		Selectmen, insurance tax .....	2.25
		Selectmen, railroad tax .....	257.17
		Selectmen, Savings Bank tax .....	968.47
		Selectmen, literary fund .....	56.88

1918.

Jan.	5.	John W. Shaw, tax list, 1917.....	2,422.80
	29.	Selectmen, rent of town hall .....	17.50
	30.	Selectmen, cemetery lot sold .....	4.00
		Selectmen, balance 1916 highway money .....	5.52
	31.	Selectmen, paupers off farm .....	42.25
		Selectmen, aid to soldiers .....	26.00
		John W. Shaw, tax list, 1917.....	698.21
		John W. Shaw, tax list, 1916.....	164.60
		Selectmen, bounty on hedgehogs...	15.40
		John W. Shaw, tax list of 1915.....	5.00
		Selectmen, interest on 1916 tax list..	9.45
		Selectmen, interest on 1917 tax list .	7.03
		Selectmen, abated taxes, paid up....	9.20
		Selectmen, balance dog license, 1917	3.60

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Total amount received ..... \$17,782.67

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Amount paid on selectmen's orders..... \$17,104.83

Balance in treasurer's hands Feb. 1, 1918..... 677.84

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\$17,782.67

GEORGE H. WHEDON,  
*Treasurer.*

Newbury



## SELECTMEN'S REPORT.

(For the year ending January 31, 1918.)

Inventory of the town of Newbury, as taken by the selectmen, April 1, 1917:

152 Polls .....	\$304.00
141 Horses .....	17,612.00
3 Mules .....	425.00
28 Oxen .....	3,000.00
211 Cows .....	12,208.00
65 Neat stock .....	2,989.00
47 Sheep and goats .....	293.00
47 Hogs .....	870.00
676 Fowls .....	495.00
46 Vehicles, including automobiles .....	8,855.00
8 Portable mills .....	2,000.00
114 Boats and launches .....	37,475.00
Wood and lumber, not stock in trade .....	17,380.00
Stock in public funds .....	64,100.00
Stock in National banks .....	4,515.00
Money on hand, at interest, or on deposit.....	2,625.00
Stock in trade .....	4,300.00
Wharves .....	2,300.00
Improved and unimproved land and buildings..	1,014,730.00

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Total for taxation .....\$1,196,172.00

Amount of tax .....	\$13,462.18
Goshen school tax .....	6.25
Extra tax .....	29.73

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Total tax ..... \$13,498.16  
Rate per \$100, \$1.10.

## STATEMENT OF ASSETS.

Cash in hands of treasurer.....	\$677.84
Joint highway accounts, bal. in state treasury	93.11
State highway maintenance, balance in state treasury .....	192.97
State highway, trunk line construction, in state treasury .....	4,500.00
Taxes uncollected, levy of 1916.....	23.69
Taxes uncollected, levy of 1917.....	317.64
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Total assets .....	\$5,805.25

## STATEMENT OF LIABILITIES.

Due school district, dog license.....	\$82.80
Due school district, school fund.....	35.00
State and town joint highway accounts:	
Unexpended balance in state treasury.....	4,786.08
Unexpended balance in town treasury.....	1,998.98
Due highway department.....	5.52
Balance due on town maintenance.....	23.57
Trust funds:	
Amount of principal used by town.....	976.56
Balance due cemeteries.....	22.39
Balance due library.....	44.91
Parsonage money due.....	36.00
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Total liabilities .....	\$8,011.81
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Total assets .....	\$5,805.25
Excess of liabilities over assets.....	2,206.56
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	\$8,011.81
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Net debt February 15, 1917.....	\$1,934.43
Net debt, January 31, 1917.....	2,206.56
Increase .....	272.13

## SELECTMEN'S ACCOUNT.

## SUMMARY OF RECEIPTS.

Received—

Of John W. Shaw, collector.....	\$13,100.85
Of John W. Shaw, collector.....	772.98
For state aid maintenance.....	166.36
For insurance tax.....	2.25
For railroad tax .....	257.17
For savings bank tax.....	968.47
For literary fund .....	56.88
For bounties .....	15.40
For support of poor.....	126.00
For aid to soldiers.....	104.00
For dog licenses .....	82.80
For rent of town hall.....	17.50
For interest on taxes.....	16.48
For abated taxes paid up.....	9.20
For temporary loan .....	600.00
For lot in cemetery.....	4.00
For land sold by town.....	6.00
For material sold .....	7.48
For taxes bid off by town (collector's sale)...	19.82
Of former road agent.....	5.52
Cemetery trust funds.....	300.00
Cash on hand February 16, 1917.....	1,143.51
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Total receipts .....	\$17,782.67

## SUMMARY OF EXPENSES.

Paid—

Town officers' salaries.....	\$649.31
Town officers' expenses.....	184.41



Election and registration expenses.....	\$24.55
Municipal court expenses.....	15.70
Expenses town hall and buildings.....	258.74
Police department, care of tramps.....	1.00
Fire department, forest fires.....	13.38
Bounties on animals.....	15.40
Health department .....	4.00
Vital statistics .....	10.25
For state aid maintenance highways.....	332.72
For town, maintenance highways.....	3,187.00
For general expenses, highway department...	37.68
For libraries .....	127.54
For support of town poor.....	126.00
For aid to soldiers.....	104.00
For cemeteries .....	37.00
For damages and legal expenses.....	490.00
For taxes bought by town.....	140.82
For parsonage money.....	12.00
For taxes overpaid, refunded .....	3.30
For interest on temporary loans.....	75.16
For interest on trust funds.....	19.31
For state aid construction.....	40.38
For trunk line construction.....	1,531.23
For land .....	225.00
For new equipment .....	623.00
For temporary loans .....	1,950.00
For state tax .....	2,210.00
For county tax .....	1,461.78
For school district .....	3,194.17
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Total payments .....	\$17,104.83
Balance in treasury.....	677.84
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Total .....	\$17,782.67

## DETAILED STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS.

The selectmen charge themselves as follows:

1917.

Feb. 16	Cash on hand.....	\$1,143.51
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Received of—

Feb. 21	E. A. Blodgett, for lumber.....	\$1.08
Mar. 3	Etta Whedon, for land.....	1.00
	John W. Shaw, tax list 1915.....	5.00
23	Sunapee Lake Grange, for land..	5.00
June 2	G. J. Messer, hired money.....	600.00
11	Merrimack County, soldiers' aid..	26.00
16	State treasurer, state aid main- tenance .....	31.75
20	Heirs of Elisha Messer, trust fund	100.00
23	Heirs of William T. Thissell, trust fund .....	100.00
30	State treasurer, state aid mainte- nance .....	10.50
July 7	Estate of H. B. Cheney, trust fund	100.00
30	State treasurer, state aid mainte- nance .....	17.94
Aug. 20	State treasurer, state aid mainte- nance .....	5.06
27	Merrimack County, soldiers' aid.	26.00
	Merrimack County, aid to poor..	22.75
31	State treasurer, state aid mainte- nance .....	14.02
Sept. 1	C. L. Perkins, dog tax.....	79.20
Oct. 10	State treasurer, state aid mainte- nance .....	18.71
17	State treasurer, state aid mainte- nance .....	22.56
Nov. 2	State treasurer, state aid mainte- nance .....	13.61

Nov.	3	John W. Shaw, tax on list bid off by town .....	\$3.82
	19	State treasurer, state aid maintenance .....	15.60
		Merrimack County, aid to poor..	61.00
		Merrimack County, aid to soldiers	26.00
Dec.	1	John W. Shaw, tax on list bid off by town .....	16.00
		J. A. Donigan, for dynamite.....	4.40
		Henry J. Simpson, for gravel....	2.00
	3	State treasurer, state aid maintenance .....	2.96
		State treasurer, insurance tax....	2.25
		State treasurer, railroad tax.....	257.17
		State treasurer, savings bank tax.	968.47
		State treasurer, literary fund....	56.88
	17	State treasurer, state aid maintenance .....	13.65
Jan.	29	Dura J. Rowe, rent of town hall..	17.50
	30	Joel Gillingham, lot in cemetery..	4.00
		A. A. Emerson, balance highway money .....	5.52
	31	Merrimack County, aid to poor...	42.25
		Merrimack County, aid to soldiers	26.00
		John W. Shaw, abated tax, 1916..	9.20
		State treasurer, bounties on wild animals .....	15.40
		John W. Shaw, interest on 1916 list .....	9.45
		John W. Shaw, interest on 1917 list .....	7.03
		John W. Shaw, tax list, 1916....	767.98
		John W. Shaw, tax list, 1917....	13,100.85
		C. L. Perkins, balance dog tax...	3.60
Total .....			\$17,782.67



## DETAILED STATEMENT OF EXPENSES.

## TOWN OFFICERS' SALARIES.

1917.

Paid—

Feb.	20.	Nathan B. Bly, Auditor.....	\$3.00
Mar.	3.	Albert W. Cheney, Selectman.....	20.00
		Mark W. Muzzey, Selectman.....	20.56
		Charles H. M. Perkins, Selectman...	17.50
Apr.	7.	Frank B. Fellows, Auditor.....	3.00
July	7.	Frank B. Fellows, Selectman .....	50.00

1918.

Jan.	29.	Dura J. Rowe, Road Agent.....	20.00
	30.	John W. Shaw, Tax Collector.....	130.00
		John H. Gillingham, Moderator.....	3.50
	31.	F. B. Fellows, Selectman.....	45.00
		George J. Messer, Selectman.....	122.00
		George H. Whedon, Treasurer.....	75.00
		John H. Gillingham, Selectman.....	93.00
		C. L. Perkins, Town Clerk.....	42.75
		C. L. Perkins, Dog Constable.....	4.00

Total .....	\$649.31
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## DETAIL OF TOWN OFFICERS' EXPENSES.

1917.

Paid—

Mar.	12.	John B. Clarke Co., printing town reports .....	\$55.35
		A. W. Cheney, express on reports....	.55
	17.	E. A. Blodgett, stamped envelopes...	4.56
Apr.	7.	E. C. Eastman Co., stationery.....	.55
May	5.	F. B. Fellows, stamped envelopes....	2.14
		Jackman & Lang, Town Officers' bonds	27.00
	10.	Jackman & Lang, Town Officers' bonds	6.50
June	2.	E. C. Eastman Co., collectors' books..	8.78
July	7.	John W. Shaw, postage .....	13.40

July	7.	E. C. Eastman Co., town books.....	\$38.30
Sept.	1.	Arthur W. Ayer, auto service.....	3.50
Oct.	6.	E. A. Blodgett, stamped envelopes....	2.14
1918.			
Jan.	5.	E. C. Eastman Co., receipt book.....	1.05
		Edmund H. Brown, recording deeds..	1.75
	30.	John W. Shaw, postage.....	5.31
		Joel Gillingham, justice fees.....	2.00
	31.	George J. Messer, car fare and tele- phone bills .....	7.97
		George J. Messer, telephone bill.....	1.00
		George H. Whedon, postage.....	1.96
		F. B. Fellows, town meeting warrants	.60
Total .....			<hr/> \$184.41

#### DETAIL OF ELECTION AND REGISTRATION EXPENSES.

1917.		Paid—	
Mar.	9.	Moody Gillingham, ballot clerk.....	\$7.50
Apr.	7.	Frank B. Fellows, supervisor.....	5.00
1918.			
Jan.	5.	Nathan B. Bly, supervisor.....	10.00
	29.	Nathan B. Bly, for checklists.....	2.05
Total .....			<hr/> \$24.55

#### DETAIL OF MUNICIPAL COURT EXPENSES.

1918.			
Jan.	31.	Paid E. C. Lear, expense in Rollins case .....	\$15.70

#### DETAIL OF EXPENSES OF TOWN HALL AND BUILDINGS.

1917.		Paid—	
Mar.	3.	Etta Whedon for land.....	\$1.00
Sept.	15.	W. W. Trow & Son for lumber.....	111.98
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Oct.	6.	W. N. Bailey, insurance.....	\$15.00
Dec.	1.	F. B. Fellows, labor on library room..	74.08
1918.			
Jan.	5.	W. N. Bailey, insurance.....	32.18
		Harold T. Peaslee, 2 cords wood.....	11.00
	29.	Dura J. Rowe, janitor.....	5.50
	31.	F. B. Fellows, stove for library room..	8.00
Total .....			<hr/> \$258.74

DETAIL OF EXPENSE OF POLICE DEPARTMENT.  
1917.

Paid—

Dec.	1.	F. B. Fellows, care of tramp.....	\$1.00
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DETAIL OF EXPENSE OF FIRE DEPARTMENT.  
1918.

Paid—

Jan.	31.	Moody Gillingham, fire warden.....	\$13.38
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BOUNTIES ON WILD ANIMALS.

1917.

Paid—

Mar.	3.	Albert W. Cheney, bounty on hedge- hogs .....	\$1.20
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Jan.	30.	F. B. Fellows, bounty on hedgehogs..	14.20
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Total .....			<hr/> \$15.40
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DETAIL OF HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

1917.

Paid—

May	5.	George H. Whedon, services Board of Health .....	\$1.00
Aug.	4.	Dr. H. R. Green, services Board of Health .....	3.00



1918.		
Jan.	29.	Dr. W. H. Abbott, reporting births and deaths .....
		\$1.75
		Dr. Chancy Adams, reporting births and deaths .....
		.25
	31.	Dr. N. L. Griffin, reporting births and deaths .....
		.75
		Dr. H. R. Green, reporting births and deaths .....
		.50
		C. L. Perkins, recording births and deaths .....
		7.00
Total .....		\$14.25

## HIGHWAYS AND BRIDGES.

### *State Aid Maintenance.*

1917.		
Paid—		
May	5.	C. L. Perkins, State Aid work.....
		\$22.95
June	2.	C. L. Perkins, State Aid work.....
		51.25
July	7.	C. L. Perkins, State Aid work.....
		77.44
Sept.	1.	C. L. Perkins, State Aid work.....
		35.81
Sept.	15.	C. L. Perkins, State Aid work.....
		29.21
Oct.	6.	C. L. Perkins, State Aid work.....
		36.17
Nov.	3.	C. L. Perkins, State Aid work.....
		39.72
Dec.	1.	C. L. Perkins, State Aid work.....
		40.17
Total .....		\$332.72

### *Town Maintenance.*

1917.		
Paid—		
Apr.	7.	Dura J. Rowe, highway account.....
		\$100.00
	27.	Dura J. Rowe, highway account.....
		100.00
May	5.	Dura J. Rowe, highway account.....
		200.00
June	2.	Dura J. Rowe, highway account.....
		300.00

July	7.	Dura J. Rowe, highway account.....	\$400.00
Aug.	4.	Dura J. Rowe, highway account.....	200.00
Sept.	1.	Dura J. Rowe, highway account.....	300.00
Sept.	15.	Dura J. Rowe, highway account.....	100.00
Oct.	6.	Dura J. Rowe, highway account.....	400.00
Nov.	3.	Dura J. Rowe, highway account.....	200.00
Dec.	1.	Dura J. Rowe, highway account.....	200.00
1918.			
Jan.	5.	Dura J. Rowe, highway account.....	300.00
	29.	Dura J. Rowe, balance highway ac- count .....	387.00
Total .....			<hr/> \$3,187.00

## GENERAL EXPENSES, HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT.

1917.		Paid—	
May	5.	Sarah A. Brockway, use water tub, 1916 .....	\$3.00
1918.			
Jan.	29.	E. C. Ring, use water tub.....	3.00
	30.	Forest J. Folsom, breaking roads.....	5.00
		George H. Ayer, shoveling snow.....	3.15
	31.	Wilma Barrett, storing snow roller...	2.00
		Thomas J. Leach, use water tub.....	2.00
		V. C. Brockway estate, use water tub, 1917 .....	3.00
		A. W. Cheney, storing tools.....	3.00
		George J. Messer, 7 bags cement....	5.53
		George J. Messer, bridge stringers...	5.00
		Henry A. Foster, use water tub.....	3.00
Total .....			<hr/> \$37.68

## LIBRARIES.

1917.

Paid—

June	2.	Library Trustees .....	\$28.24
July	7.	Library Trustees .....	9.00
Oct.	3.	Library Trustees .....	24.87
Dec.	1.	Library Trustees .....	40.05

1918.

Jan.	5.	Library Trustees .....	2.00
	30.	Library Trustees .....	15.00
	31.	Library Trustees .....	8.38

Total .....	\$127.54
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## AID TO COUNTY POOR.

1917.

Paid—

Mar.	3.	E. A. Clay, aid to W. E. Clay.....	\$6.00
Apr.	7.	E. A. Clay, aid to W. E. Clay.....	7.50
	28.	William H. Flint.....	1.50
May	5.	William H. Flint.....	1.50
		E. A. Clay, aid to W. E. Clay.....	8.25
June	2.	E. A. Clay, aid to W. E. Clay.....	7.00
July	7.	E. A. Clay, aid to W. E. Clay.....	8.75
Aug.	4.	E. A. Clay, aid to W. E. Clay.....	7.00
Sept.	1.	E. A. Clay, aid to W. E. Clay.....	7.00
Oct.	6.	William H. Flint .....	6.00
		E. A. Clay, aid to W. E. Clay.....	8.75
Nov.	3.	E. A. Clay, aid to W. E. Clay.....	7.00
		William H. Flint.....	7.50
Dec.	1.	E. A. Clay, aid to W. E. Clay.....	7.00

1918.

Jan.	5.	E. A. Clay, aid to W. E. Clay.....	8.75
	29.	William H. Flint .....	19.50
		E. A. Clay, aid to W. E. Clay.....	7.00

Total .....	\$126.00
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## COUNTY AID TO SOLDIERS.

1917. Paid—			
Mar.	3	Fred R. Wright, county aid.....	\$8.00
April	7	Fred R. Wright, county aid.....	10.00
May	5	Fred R. Wright, county aid.....	8.00
June	2	Fred R. Wright, county aid.....	8.00
July	7	Fred R. Wright, county aid.....	10.00
Aug.	4	Fred R. Wright, county aid.....	8.00
Sept.	1	Fred R. Wright, county aid.....	8.00
Oct.	6	Fred R. Wright, county aid.....	10.00
Nov.	3	Fred R. Wright, county aid.....	8.00
Dec.	1	Fred R. Wright, county aid.....	8.00
Jan.	5	Fred R. Wright, county aid.....	10.00
	29	Fred R. Wright, county aid.....	8.00
Total .....			\$104.00

## CEMETERIES.

1917. Paid—			
Sept.	1	John W. Shaw, mowing cemetery.	\$2.00
		George H. Whedon, mowing cemetery .....	5.00
1918.			
Jan.	5	George W. Russell, driving hearse	5.00
	29	George W. Russell, driving hearse	3.00
	30	Geo. J. Messer, labor in cemetery	3.50
	31	C. L. Perkins, driving hearse....	18.50
Total .....			\$37.00

## DAMAGES AND LEGAL EXPENSES.

1917. Paid—			
May	7	James W. Remick, settlement of road case, Rowe v. Newbury..	\$450.00
Jan.	30	George W. Russell, damage to horse .....	20.00



Jan. 31.	J. A. Donigan, legal services and expenses .....	\$20.00
Total	.....	<hr/> \$490.00

## PARSONAGE MONEY.

1917. Paid—

Jan. 5	Florence Brockway, Universalist money .....	\$12.00
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## TAXES BOUGHT BY TOWN.

1917. Paid—

Mar. 9	John W. Shaw, taxes bid off by town .....	\$84.50
Jan. 5	John W. Shaw, taxes bid off by town .....	56.32
Total	.....	<hr/> \$140.82

## TAXES OVERPAID REFUNDED.

1917. Paid—

Oct. 6	Ira Chandler, taxes overpaid....	\$3.30
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## INTEREST PAID ON NOTES.

1917. Paid—

Sept. 1	Mark W. Muzzey, interest on three notes .....	\$24.50
Dec. 22	Mark W. Muzzey, interest on three notes .....	17.28
Jan. 5	Weston Cheney, interest on note..	13.13
31	George J. Messer, interest on note	20.25
	George J. Messer, interest on trust funds .....	19.31
Total	.....	<hr/> \$94.47

## PAYMENTS ON TEMPORARY LOANS.

1917. Paid—			
Dec.	22	Mark W. Muzzey, three notes...	\$1,050.00
Jan.	5	Weston Cheney, one note.....	300.00
	31	George J. Messer, note.....	600.00
Total .....			<u>\$1,950.00</u>

## HIGHWAYS, NEW CONSTRUCTION AND PERMANENT IMPROVEMENT.

## STATE AID CONSTRUCTION.

1917. Paid—			
Nov.	3	C. L. Perkins for cement.....	\$16.38
		C. L. Perkins for labor.....	24.00
Total .....			<u>\$40.38</u>

## TRUNK LINE CONSTRUCTION.

1917. Paid—			
Dec.	1	George H. Cheney.....	\$561.23
	22	George H. Cheney.....	970.00
Total .....			<u>\$1,531.23</u>

## LAND BOUGHT FOR HIGHWAY PURPOSES.

1917. Paid—			
Jan.	5	Ora A. Lear for land.....	\$225.00

## NEW EQUIPMENT.

1917. Paid—			
Sept.	1	E. F. Howe for auto truck.....	\$623.00

## PAYMENTS TO OTHER GOVERNMENT DIVISIONS.

1917. Paid—			
Dec.	1	Harry F. Davis, county tax.....	\$1,461.78
	12	John W. Plumber, state tax.....	2,210.00
Total .....			<hr/> \$3,671.78

## PAYMENTS TO SCHOOL DISTRICTS.

1917. Paid—			
April	27	John H. Gillingham, school money	\$150.00
May	5	John H. Gillingham, school money	100.00
June	2	John H. Gillingham, school money	200.00
July	7	John H. Gillingham, school money	550.00
Oct.	6	John H. Gillingham, school money	400.00
Nov.	3	John H. Gillingham, school money	700.00
Dec.	1	John H. Gillingham, school money	300.00
1918.			
Jan.	5	John H. Gillingham, school money	200.00
		John H. Gillingham, literary fund	112.77
	30	John H. Gillingham, dog license.	96.40
		John H. Gillingham, interest on school fund .....	35.00
		John H. Gillingham, balance school money .....	350.00
Total .....			<hr/> \$3,194.17

GEORGE J. MESSER,  
FRANK B. FELLOWS,  
JOHN H. GILLINGHAM,  
*Selectmen of Newbury.*

## REPORT OF LIBRARY TRUSTEES.

1917. Paid—

June	6	Brown and Saltmarsh, library supplies .....	\$9.00
		Express .....	.38
	16	W. C. Gibson for books.....	28.24
Aug.	7	Mary Rowe, librarian.....	6.23
Sept.	11	Rita Hadsell, librarian.....	11.74
Oct.	15	Mary Rowe, librarian.....	6.52
Nov.	6	S. R. Powers, wood.....	2.00
	14.	W. C. Gibson, books.....	40.05

1918.

Jan.	30	King's Daughters, rent of library room .....	10.00
		E. A. Blodgett, rent of library room .....	5.00
	31	Mrs. A. S. Brockway, librarian...	1.12
		Mary Rowe, librarian.....	7.26

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 \$127.54

Amount in treasury Februray 16, 1917..... 122.45

Received from selectmen..... 50.00

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 Total amount in treasury..... \$172.45

Amount expended ..... 127.54

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 Balance in treasury..... \$44.91

 JAMES C. FARMER.  
 HAROLD T. PEASLEE.

*Trustees.*



# REPORT OF TRUST FUNDS OF THE TOWN OF NEWBURY, N. H., ON JANUARY 31, 1918.

Date of Creation.	TRUST FUNDS. PURPOSE OF CREATION.	Amount of Principal.	HOW INVESTED.	Rate of interest.	Balance on hand Feb. 15, 1917.	Income during year.	Expended during year.	Balance of Income on hand at end of year.
Oct. 2, 1903.	Martha Hastings, care of Hastings' lot, Bean cemetery .....	\$100.00	New Hampshire Savings Bank, Concord, N. H. . .	4%	\$18.64	\$4.75	\$10.00	\$13.39
Feb. 14, 1911.	Hattie B. Colby, care of Colby lot, Bean cemetery .....	58.76	New Hampshire Savings Bank, Concord, N. H. . .	4%	5.92	2.59	3.50	5.01
Feb. 15, 1911	N. P. Blodgett, care of Blodgett lot, Bean cemetery .....	50.00	New Hampshire Savings Bank, Concord, N. H. . .	4%	5.44	2.22	2.00	5.66
Feb. 15, 1911.	Joseph Bean, care of Bean lots, Bean cemetery .....	190.00	New Hampshire Savings Bank, Concord, N. H. . .	4%	30.66	8.95	8.19	31.42
Feb. 23, 1915.	Eliza A. Merrill, care of B. Perkins' lot, South Newbury cemetery .....	200.00	New Hampshire Savings Bank, Concord, N. H. . .	4%	35.47	9.42	....	44.89
Feb. 23, 1915.	Lottie Morse, care of Timan Morse lot, South Newbury cemetery .....	50.00	New Hampshire Savings Bank, Concord, N. H. . .	4%	3.70	2.15	....	5.85
May 6, 1916.	Sarah B. Gilley, care of Madison Cilley lot, Bean cemetery .....	500.00	Note of Town of Newbury, N. H. ....	4%	11.49	20.04	17.00	14.53
May 6, 1916.	I. F. Blodgett, care of Blodgett lot, South Newbury cemetery .....	50.00	Note of Town of Newbury, N. H. ....	4%	1.55	2.00	....	3.55
Feb. 13, 1916.	Alice Sanborn, care of Sanborn lot, South Newbury cemetery .....	100.00	Note of Town of Newbury, N. H. ....	4%	....	3.86	....	3.86
July 7, 1917.	Elisha H. Messer .....	100.00	Note of Town of Newbury, N. H. ....	4%	....	2.31	....	2.31
July 7, 1917.	W. T. Thissell, care of lot, Bean cemetery .....	100.00	Note of Town of Newbury, N. H. ....	4%	....	2.31	2.31	....
July 7, 1917.	H. B. Cheney, care of Cheney lot, South Newbury cemetery .....	100.00	Note of Town of Newbury, N. H. ....	4%	....	2.31	....	2.31
	Paid G. J. Messer for labor and cash paid out .....	\$43.00						
	Cash in Trustees' hands .....	\$3.51						

CHARLES H. BROCKWAY,  
GEO. H. WHEDON,  
GEORGE J. MESSER,  
*Trustees.*

## TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT.

For the year ending January 31, 1918.

1917.

Feb. 15.	Uncollected on previous lists .....	\$808.91
	Amount of 1917 tax .....	13,498.16

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Total to collect .....	\$14,307.07
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1917.

Mar. 13.	Paid town treasurer ....	\$406.67
Apr. 7.	Paid town treasurer ....	103.17
June 2.	Paid town treasurer ....	93.54
July 7.	Paid town treasurer ....	1,191.01
Aug. 1.	Paid town treasurer ....	471.16
	9.	Paid town treasurer .... 2,093.88
Sept. 1.	Paid town treasurer ....	974.07
Oct. 6.	Paid town treasurer ....	940.80
Nov. 3.	Paid town treasurer ....	1,224.72
Dec. 3.	Paid town treasurer ....	3,084.20

1918.

Jan. 5.	Paid town treasurer ....	2,422.80
	31.	Paid town treasurer .... 867.81
	Abated .....	91.91
		<hr/> \$13,965.74

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Amount uncollected January 31, 1918.....	\$341.33
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JOHN W. SHAW,  
*Tax Collector.*

## AUDITOR'S REPORT.

Newbury, N. H., February 9, 1918.

We, the undersigned auditors of Newbury, have examined the books of the selectmen, town treasurer, tax col-

lector, road agent, and trustees of trust funds, and have compared their vouchers, cast their figures, and found them correct.

JOSEPH A. DONIGAN,  
MARK W. MUZZEY.  
JOHN D. PEASLEE.

#### LIST OF UNPAID TAXES, JANUARY 31, 1918.

John Burk .....	\$2.00
Gerald W. Chappell .....	37.13
Edwin A. Clay .....	2.00
Walter S. Clough .....	29.50
William Cummings .....	22.68
Daniel Fortune .....	2.00
Cerendo Gillingham .....	14.15
Ralph B. Gillingham .....	13.20
Olive J. Lear .....	11.00
Orana Lear .....	20.15
Elwin C. Lear .....	17.51
Charles H. Muzzey .....	29.50
Earl R. Muzzey .....	16.91
Clarence Ring .....	2.00
Sumner W. Rollins .....	6.40
Lena Rollins .....	4.84
Curtis Travis .....	2.00
John F. Wheeler .....	2.00
Etta Wheeler .....	18.44

JOHN W. SHAW,  
*Tax Collector.*

#### HIGHWAY ACCOUNT OF A. A. EMERSON, 1917.

Feb. 15.	Cash balance from 1917 .....	\$68.08
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Paid—

Mar. 5.	Edward Gregory, for breaking roads	\$12.07
	T. C. Hall, for breaking roads ....	3.00

Mar.	5.	T. C. Hall, for breaking roads.....	\$2.50
	12.	A. A. Emerson, for breaking roads .	13.25
	15.	James Craig, for cutting bushes ....	2.08
		Joe Prudhome, for shoveling snow..	4.00
		Horace Hurd, for 40 loads of gravel	4.40
		G. W. Russell, for breaking roads...	1.00
		Digilio Brothers, breaking roads ...	4.26
		J. F. Wheeler, breaking roads.....	1.50
	20.	William Blakie, breaking roads ....	3.25
	28.	Loren C. Ayer, breaking roads .....	1.30
		G. J. Messer, breaking roads .....	2.80
		N. Ray Blodgett, breaking roads....	5.70
		J. W. Shaw, breaking roads.....	.45
June	6.	T. A. Hall, breaking roads.....	1.00
Total .....			\$62.56
1918.			
Jan.	5.	Returned to selectmen of Newbury..	5.52
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			\$68.08

A. A. EMERSON,  
*Road Agent.*

### ROAD AGENT'S ACCOUNT.

D. J. ROWE, DR.

As Road Agent in account with the town of Newbury to  
February 1, 1918:

Received of:

Apr.	7.	Selectmen, order on town treasurer	\$100.00
	27.	Selectmen, order on town treasurer	100.00
May	5.	Selectmen, order on town treasurer	200.00
June	2.	Selectmen, order on town treasurer	300.00
July	7.	Selectmen, order on town treasurer	400.00
Aug.	4.	Selectmen, order on town treasurer	200.00
Sept.	1.	Selectmen, order on town treasurer	300.00



Sept. 24.	Selectmen, order on town treasurer	\$100.00
Oct. 6.	Selectmen, order on town treasurer	400.00
Nov. 3.	Selectmen, order on town treasurer	200.00
Dec. 1.	Selectmen, order on town treasurer	200.00
Jan. 5.	Selectmen, order on town treasurer	300.00
29.	Selectmen, order on town treasurer	387.00
	Received for wood cut on highways.....	4.50

Total amount received .....	\$3,191.50
Total amount expended .....	3,149.62
Balance on hand .....	\$41.88

DURA J. ROWE,  
*Road Agent.*

#### DETAIL OF HIGHWAY EXPENSE ACCOUNT.

1917. Paid—

Apr. 25.	E. A. Blodgett, 2 spades .....	\$2.15
May 23.	H. M. Perkins, spades and nails ...	3.45
June 1.	Moreau & Son, 2 rakes .....	1.74
18.	T. H. Hill, bridge stringers .....	5.00
27.	Charles Snow, bridge stringers.....	2.00
	D. J. Rowe, receipt books and stationery .....	1.00
July 14.	Joel Gillingham, team .....	1.75
Sept. 28.	H. M. Perkins, axe, bush scythe....	5.70
	D. J. Rowe, express, telephone, and postage .....	3.00
Nov. 12.	Moody Gillingham, 5,478 feet bridge plank .....	136.95
	Moody Gillingham, 1 stone drag ....	4.00
Dec. 13.	A. W. Clement, repairing scraper...	3.25

1918.		
Jan.	11.	Moody Gillingham, repairing roller: . \$6.35
	31.	E. A. Blodgett, screws and bolts.... .83
		G. W. Russell, 6 bridge stringers... 1.50
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Total expenses .....		\$178.67

## DETAIL OF AUTO TRUCK EXPENSE ACCOUNT.

1917. Paid—		
Sept.	1.	Badger & Moore, for gasoline and oil \$19.52
Oct.	8.	Badger & Moore, for gasoline and oil 14.25
Nov.	8.	C. H. M. Perkins, gasoline ..... 2.06
	9.	Badger & Moore, gasoline and oil .. 29.28
	10.	G. Nichols, gasoline and oil ..... 5.00
	12.	Moody Gillingham, 1 tire tube..... 12.10
	17.	G. Nichols, gasoline ..... 5.00
	19.	Bradford Auto Machine Co., repairs 6.90
Jan.	11.	G. Nichols, for gasoline..... 3.24
	31.	Badger & Moore, gasoline and oil.. 15.38
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Total amount paid .....		\$112.77

## DETAIL OF BREAKING ROADS.

1917. Paid—		
Apr.	9.	D. J. Rowe ..... \$13.56
		J. Therrian and team ... 20.87
	10.	P. Foley ..... 9.88
	16.	C. Sargent ..... 6.00
		J. F. Wheeler ..... 2.40
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Amount paid out for April.....		\$52.71
May	6.	Digilio Brothers ..... \$4.00
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Amount paid out for May.....		4.00

June 25. C. L. Hay .....,..... \$1.25

Amount paid out for June..... \$1.25

Dec. 14. D. J. Rowe ..... \$13.75  
 15. G. W. Russell and team ..... 5.00  
       W. H. Hoague ..... 2.60  
 16. G. W. Russell and team.. ..... 5.00  
 20. E. Muzzey and team.... ..... 3.50  
 21. C. Hamel and team .... 11.00  
       J. McAllister and team .. ..... 4.00  
       C. H. M. Perkins and  
       team ..... 18.00  
       D. J. Rowe ..... 10.25

Amount paid out for December... 73.10

Total amount expended for 1917 \$131.06

1918. Paid—

Jan. 5. A. A. Emerson and team ..... \$30.53  
       H. T. Peaslee and team ..... 93.50  
       7. G. W. Russell and team.. ..... 25.75  
 11. M. Gillingham and team ..... 19.25  
       D. J. Rowe ..... 7.50  
 23. H. D. Rowe ..... 3.25  
       D. J. Rowe ..... 17.50  
 29. H. D. Rowe ..... 2.25  
       O. Blodgett ..... 2.00  
       L. C. Ayer ..... 41.72  
       N. Shultis ..... 75.05  
       O. J. Blodgett ..... 55.15  
       A. A. Emerson ..... 24.60  
       F. A. Putney ..... 1.00  
       G. Ayer ..... 2.40  
       J. D. Peaslee ..... 2.00  
       J. Gillingham ..... 8.37  
 30. J. Colby ..... 13.25

Jan. 30.	F. B. Fellows .....	\$1.50	
	W. Barrett .....	25.25	
	R. Hill .....	8.00	
	C. M. Prew .....	3.50	
	F. J. Folsom .....	9.50	
	G. J. Messer .....	15.75	
31.	H. T. Peaslee .....	10.00	
	B. W. Holmes .....	39.00	
	J. B. Prentiss .....	14.66	
	M. Gillingham .....	47.50	
	D. Digilio .....	11.90	
	E. Muzzey .....	8.50	
	G. Symonds .....	1.50	
	W. H. Cummings .....	9.25	
	F. P. Craig .....	1.80	
	G. W. Russell .....	2.50	
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		Amount paid out for January....	\$635.18
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		Total amount expended for break- ing roads .....	\$766.24

## LABOR ON HIGHWAYS.

1917.	Paid—		
Apr. 16.	D. J. Rowe.....	\$5.00	
28.	A. Rowe .....	6.75	
	G. W. Russell .....	4.35	
	Earl Muzzey and team...	15.00	
	John Therrian and team.	18.35	
	Patrick Foley .....	5.65	
	Charles Sargent .....	5.65	
	D. J. Rowe.....	13.75	
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		Amount paid for April.....	\$74.50



May	5.	John Therrian and team.	\$15.56
		Patrick Foley .....	7.25
		Charles Sargent .....	7.25
		Earl Muzzey and team...	8.85
		George Russell .....	4.40
		Dura Rowe .....	8.55
	12.	Dura Rowe .....	16.50
		Earl Muzzey and team...	20.00
		Patrick Foley .....	13.50
		John Therrian and team.	10.00
		Charles Sargent .....	4.50
		G. Russell .....	9.00
	19.	Charles Sargent .....	4.50
		Earl Muzzey and team...	30.00
		Arthur Muzzey .....	6.75
		Patrick Foley .....	13.50
		Frank Putney .....	4.50
		L. Ayer .....	4.50
		G. W. Russell .....	6.75
		D. J. Rowe .....	16.50
		J. Colby and team.....	20.00
	23.	John Therrian and team.	5.00
	26.	John Therrian and team.	15.00
		F. Putney .....	9.00
		P. Foley .....	9.00
		D. Rowe .....	12.31
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Amount paid in May.....			\$282.73
June	2.	John Therrian and team.	\$17.75
		P. Foley .....	7.90
		F. Putney .....	2.25
		D. J. Rowe.....	9.75
	9.	John Therrian and team.	20.00
		Earl Muzzey and team...	15.00
		J. F. Wheeler and team..	20.00
		P. Foley .....	9.00

June	9.	E. A. Clay .....	\$3.25
		J. Croteau .....	2.25
		D. J. Rowe .....	11.00
		L. C. Ayer .....	4.50
	14.	D. J. Rowe.....	2.80
	16.	Ed. Muzzey .....	10.00
		E. A. Clay .....	9.00
		J. F. Wheeler .....	10.00
		Earl Muzzey and team ...	20.00
		J. Croteau .....	9.00
		John Therrian and team..	4.50
		G. W. Russell .....	15.50
		P. Foley .....	9.00
		D. J. Rowe .....	11.00
	21.	D. J. Rowe.....	10.00
	23.	J. F. Wheeler and team..	25.00
		John Therrian and team..	13.50
		P. Foley .....	13.50
		Ed. Muzzey .....	13.50
		Earl Muzzey and team..	20.00
		E. A. Clay .....	9.00
		G. W. Russell .....	5.50
	26.	D. J. Rowe.....	6.50
	30.	J. F. Wheeler and team..	24.00
		Earl Muzzey and team...	24.00
		A. Muzzey .....	8.50
		John Therrian and team..	10.75
		P. Foley .....	11.25
		E. Rowe .....	1.50
		D. Rowe .....	15.00
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		Amount paid for June.....	\$434.95
July	1.	J. F. Wheeler and team..	\$25.00
		A. Muzzey .....	11.25
		Earl Muzzey and team...	25.00
		P. Foley .....	11.25

July	7.	D. J. Rowe .....	\$16.50	
	14.	Earl Muzzey and team...	11.00	
		F. Putney .....	12.75	
		J. Therrian .....	12.75	
		P. Foley .....	12.75	
		D. J. Rowe .....	15.85	
	21.	F. Putney .....	12.75	
		P. Foley .....	12.75	
		D. Rowe .....	16.50	
		E. Rowe .....	1.50	
	27.	R. E. Snow and team....	6.00	
	28.	F. Putney .....	6.75	
		P. Foley .....	11.25	
		D. J. Rowe .....	8.25	
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Amount paid for July.....				\$241.10
Aug.	2.	D. J. Rowe .....	\$5.25	
		F. Putney .....	10.75	
	4.	P. Foley .....	10.75	
		D. J. Rowe .....	13.75	
	11.	F. Putney .....	2.25	
		P. Foley .....	13.50	
		J. Therrian .....	6.75	
		D. J. Rowe .....	16.50	
		E. Rowe .....	1.75	
	17.	D. J. Rowe .....	8.00	
	18.	P. Foley .....	11.25	
		L. Sargent .....	10.25	
		John Therrian .....	10.25	
		D. J. Rowe .....	5.75	
	25.	L. Sargent .....	10.25	
		John Therrian .....	8.00	
		P. Foley .....	10.25	
		D. J. Rowe .....	12.50	
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Amount paid for August .....				\$167.75

Sept. 1.	L. Sargent .....	\$8.75
	J. Therrian .....	8.75
	P. Foley .....	8.75
	D. J. Rowe .....	10.65
8.	John Therrian .....	8.50
	L. Sargent .....	8.50
	P. Foley .....	12.00
	D. Nichols .....	6.25
	John Wheeler and team..	14.50
	John Burke .....	4.50
	A. A. Emerson and team.	12.00
	D. J. Rowe .....	12.50
15.	A. A. Emerson and team	25.00
	John Wheeler and team..	41.25
	John Shaw .....	13.50
	John Burke .....	13.50
	D. Nichols .....	7.50
	J. Therrian .....	11.25
	P. Foley .....	13.50
	L. Sargent .....	13.50
	G. Russell .....	11.65
	D. J. Rowe .....	16.50
18.	D. Nichols .....	2.50
20.	J. Wheeler and team....	9.40
22.	L. Sargent .....	13.50
	J. Therrian .....	13.50
	P. Foley .....	13.50
29.	D. J. Rowe .....	16.50
	D. Gregory .....	4.25
	John Therrian .....	9.00
	L. Sargent .....	8.00
Sept. 29	D. Nichols .....	2.50
	P. Foley .....	10.00
	D. J. Rowe .....	12.50

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Amount paid in September ..... \$397.80

Oct.	6	H. Peaslee and team.	\$5.00	
		P. Foley .....	13.50	
		J. Gillingham .....	7.15	
		A. A. Emerson and team .....	5.00	
		John Therrian .....	8.25	
		D. Nichols .....	3.75	
	11	L. Sargent .....	6.00	
	12	D. Nichols .....	3.75	
	13	John Therrian .....	9.25	
		P. Foley .....	7.25	
		D. J. Rowe.....	13.75	
		G. W. Russell.....	10.00	
		H. Peaslee .....	5.50	
		P. Russell .....	3.00	
	20	E. A. Clay.....	14.75	
		P. Russell .....	1.50	
		G. Russell and team..	25.00	
		L. C. Ayer.....	11.25	
		J. Therrian .....	11.25	
		P. Foley .....	11.25	
		D. Nichols .....	5.00	
	27	L. C. Ayer.....	11.25	
		G. Russell and team.	20.00	
		P. Foley .....	11.25	
		E. A. Clay.....	10.00	
		P. Russell .....	1.50	
		D. Nichols .....	5.00	
		H. Peaslee and team.	5.50	
		D. J. Rowe.....	27.50	
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			Amount paid for October....	\$273.15
Nov.	3	D. Nichols .....	\$5.00	
		P. Russell .....	1.50	
		P. Foley .....	12.25	
		D. J. Rowe.....	15.00	
	6	E. Gregory, cutting bushes .....	26.00	



Nov.	3	Earl Muzzey and team	\$25.00	
	10	P. Foley .....	13.50	
		D. Nichols .....	5.00	
		P. Russell .....	1.50	
		G. Russell .....	10.00	
		D. J. Rowe.....	16.50	
	17	D. Nichols .....	5.00	
		D. Shappron .....	5.00	
		P. Foley .....	9.00	
		G. Russell and team..	10.00	
		D. J. Rowe.....	11.00	
		Earl Muzzey and team	5.00	
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			Amount paid for November...	\$176.25
Dec.	1	D. J. Rowe.....	15.00	
		G. W. Russell & team	10.00	
		P. Foley .....	4.50	
	15	Ed Stearns .....	2.25	
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			Amount paid for December...	31.75
1918.				
Jan.	29	W. H. Hoague.....	\$12.00	
			Amount paid for January....	12.00
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Total amount paid.....				\$2,091.98

DURA J. ROWE,  
*Road Agent.*

## PARTIAL REPORT OF SCHOOL BOARD.

(To January 31, 1918.)

By action of the legislature in April, 1917, the dates of the school fiscal year were changed to coincide with the school year. Accordingly, the school fiscal year, closing heretofore in February, will this year extend to August 31, 1918. Hereafter the year begins September 1. Fol-

lowing is a partial report of the school board, and the estimates are for one year and six months. An itemized report will be printed in next year's town report.

#### SUMMARY OF EXPENSES TO JANUARY 31, 1918.

Paid for—	
Teachers' wages .....	\$1,463.00
Janitor service .....	43.40
Conveyance of scholars.....	408.50
Text-books .....	66.63
Supplies .....	41.63
Wood .....	93.25
Repairs .....	558.64
High school tuition.....	300.10
Miscellaneous .....	14.75
Officers' bills .....	89.60
Flags .....	5.57
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Total expenses .....	\$3,084.87

#### ESTIMATES FOR THE YEAR ENDING AUGUST 31, 1919.

Funds required by law.....	\$2,825.00
Text-books and supplies.....	200.00
High school and academy tuition.....	600.00
Salaries of school officers.....	150.00
Flags, appurtenances .....	25.00
Repairs .....	307.11
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Total .....	\$4,107.11
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Amount due from school treasurer.....	\$139.86

NELLIE E. FELLOWS,  
HAROLD T. PEASLEE,  
JOHN D. PEASLEE,  
*School Board of Newbury.*

## BUDGET OF THE TOWN OF

Estimates of Revenue and Expenditures for the Ensuing Year, January 31,  
of the Previous Year, February

SOURCES OF REVENUE.	Actual Revenue Previous Year, 1917.	Estimated Revenue Ensuing Year, 1918.	In- crease.	De- crease.
FROM STATE:				
Insurance Tax .....	\$2.25	\$2.25	.....	.....
Railroad Tax .....	257.17	260.00	\$2.83	.....
Savings Bank Tax .....	968.47	800.00	.....	\$168.47
For Highways:				
(a) For State Aid Maintenance .....	166.36	392.97	226.61	.....
FROM LOCAL SOURCES EXCEPT TAXES:				
Rent of Town Hall and Other Buildings .....	17.50	25.00	7.50	.....
Interest Received on Taxes and Deposits .....	16.48	10.00	.....	6.48
Income of Departments: Highways, Sewers, etc. ....	7.48	.....	.....	7.48
Revenue Applicable Only to New Construction and Improvements:				
From State:				
(a) For State Aid Highway Construction .....	.....	93.11	93.11	.....
(b) For Trunk Line Highway Construction .....	.....	6,300.00	6,300.00	.....
Revenue Which Must Be Paid to Other Governmental Divisions:				
Literary Fund .....	56.88	57.00	.12	.....
Dog Tax .....	82.80	75.00	.....	7.80
TOTAL REVENUES FROM ALL SOURCES EXCEPT PROPERTY TAXES AND POLL TAXES .....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Amount Raised by Property Taxes and Poll Taxes .....	13,498.16	15,550.00	.....	.....
TOTAL REVENUES .....	\$15,073.55	\$23,565.33	.....	.....

## EFFECT ON TAX RATE.

Assessed Valuation Previous Year .....	\$1,196,172.00
Estimated Assessed Valuation Ensuing Year .....	\$1,196,172.00
Amount Required by Budget to be Raised by Property Taxes	\$15,562.53
Tax Rate Ensuing Year per \$100 of Valuation .....	\$1.30

Every appropriation of \$1,000 in addition to the estimates of this budget will raise the tax rate .0008 per \$100 valuation.

**NEWBURY, NEW HAMPSHIRE.**

1918, to January 31, 1919, Compared with Actual Revenue and Expenditures  
16, 1917, to January 31, 1918.

PURPOSES OF EXPENDITURES.	Actual Expenditures Previous Year, 1917.	Estimated Expenditures Ensuing Year, 1918.	In- crease.	De- crease.
<b>Current Maintenance Expenses:</b>				
General Government:				
Town Officers' Salaries....	\$649.31	\$800.00	\$150.69	.....
Town Officers' Expenses...	184.41	200.00	15.59	.....
Election and Registration Expenses .....	24.55	75.00	50.45	.....
Municipal Court Expenses.	15.70	.....	.....	15.70
Care and Supplies for Town Hall and Officers' Build- ing .....	258.74	70.00	.....	188.74
Protection of Persons and Property:				
Police Department.....	1.00	.....	.....	1.00
Fire Department.....	13.38	50.00	36.62	.....
Health:				
Health Department.....	4.00	25.00	21.00	.....
Vital Statistics.....	10.25	10.00	.....	.25
Highways and Bridges:				
State Aid Maintenance:				
State's Contribution....	166.36	.....	.....	.....
Town's Contribution...	166.36	200.00	33.64	.....
Town Maintenance .....	3,187.00	3,500.00	313.00	.....
General Expenses of High- way Department .....	37.68	30.00	.....	7.68
Education:				
Libraries .....	127.54	75.00	.....	52.54
Patriotic Purposes:				
Memorial Day and Other Celebrations .....	.....	75.00	75.00	.....
Public Service Enterprises:				
Cemeteries .....	37.00	25.00	.....	12.00
<b>INTEREST:</b>				
On Temporary Loans .....	75.16	50.00	.....	25.16
On Principal of Trust Funds Used by Town.....	19.31	40.00	20.69	.....
<b>Outlay for New Construction and Permanent Improve- ments:</b>				
Highways and Bridges:				
Town Construction near Newbury Station .....	.....	500.00	500.00	.....
Trunk Line Construction:				
Town's Contribution....	1,531.23	1,794.00	262.77	.....
<b>Payments to Other Govern- mental Divisions:</b>				
State Taxes .....	2,210.00	2,080.00	.....	130.00
County Taxes .....	1,461.78	1,963.53	501.75	.....
Payments to School Districts	3,194.17	4,000.00	805.83	.....
<b>TOTAL EXPENDITURES.</b>	<b>\$13,374.93</b>	<b>\$15,562.53</b>	<b>.....</b>	<b>.....</b>

**EXPLANATION OF ITEMS.**

The school estimate is for one year and six months.





# VITAL STATISTICS.

## BIRTHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF NEWBURY, N. H., FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1917.

Date of Birth.	Place of Birth.	Name of Child (if any).	Name of Father.	Maiden Name of Mother.	Birthplace of Father.	Birthplace of Mother.
Jan. 8	Newbury.	Fortune	Edward Fortune	Hazel McMackin	Sunapee	Newbury.
Apr. 30	S. Newbury.	Barbara Sanford Rowe.	Arthur Rowe	Bessie Louise Marshall	Bradford	Brighton Mass.
May 6	Newbury.	Robert Andrew Kean.	Carroll A. Kean	Helen Tracy	Manchester	Boston, Mass.
May 12	S. Newbury.	Harold Charles	John G. Therrien	Bernice Russell	Canada	Newbury.
May 22	Newbury.	Dorothy Hazel	Harold Troy Penslee	Mildred Hazel Rich	New London	Worcester, Mass.
July 30	Newbury.	Randolph Edward	Louis Gregory	Bertha Jackman	Sunapee	Boston, Mass.
Aug. 9	Newbury.	Alice B. Croteau	Joseph Croteau	Beatrice Dudley	Maine	Massachusetts.
Aug. 30	Newbury.	Marjorie Louise	Earl R. Muzzey	Mildred Morgan	Newbury	South Springfield.
Nov. 5	Newbury.	Marjorie Irma	Walter H. Hoague	Nellie Weeks	Maine	Newbury.
Nov. 21	Newport	Doris Ethel	Arthur Muzzey	Myrtle Greene	Newbury	Westmoreland.
Nov. 23	Newport	Harry Owen	Percy Plummeridge	Nellie Keenan	England	England.

I hereby certify that the above return is correct, according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

CLARENCE L. PERKINS,

*Town Clerk.*

MARRIAGES REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF NEWBURY, N. H., FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1917.

Date of Marriage.	Place of Marriage.	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride.	Residence of Each at Time of Marriage.	Age.	Name of Parents.	Birthplace of Parents.	Name, Residence and Official Station of Persons by whom Married.
Feb. 14.	Newport	Henry R. Cooper..... Lilla F. Bly.....	Sunapee .... Newbury ....	61 22	Caleb B. Stevens ..... Emmeline Bailey ..... Nathan B. Bly ..... Eveline L. Dustin.....	Sunapee ..... Sunapee ..... Newbury ..... New Boston .....	Elwin Hitchcock, Clergyman, Newport, N. H.
Mar. 26.	Newbury	Harold W. Chadwick.... Margaret F. Andrews...	Sutton ..... Newbury ....	26 25	William P. Chadwick... Lizzie Prescott ..... David H. Andrews, Sr.. Williamina N. Cutts...	Sutton ..... Caverhill N. B. .... Marnock, Scotland.. Banff, Scotland .....	Stephen S. Huse, Jr., Clergyman, Sutton, N. H.
Aug. 30.	Concord	Chester B. Clifford..... Myrtle B. Rollins.....	Plymouth ... Newbury ....	19 18	Charles M. Clifford.... Laura M. Sherburn..... Sumner W. Rollins.... Lena Call .....	Piermont ..... Ellsworth ..... Springfield ..... Croydon .....	Orison C. Sargent, Clergyman, Concord, N. H.
Sept. 10.	Newbury	Delaw C. Gregory..... Bernice A. Colburn.....	Newbury .... Newbury ....	23 21	Edward Gregory ..... Della Gounia ..... Alonzo C. Colburn..... Jennie M. Chase.....	Quebec, Can. .... Green River, Can... Bradford ..... Sutton .....	O. H. Wallace, Clergyman, Bradford, N. H.

I hereby certify that the above return is correct, according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

CLARENCE L. PERKINS,

*Town Clerk.*

## DEATHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF NEWBURY, N. H., FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1917.

Date of Death.	Place of Death.	Name and Surname of Deceased.	Age.			Place of Birth.	Name of Father.	Maiden Name of Mother.
			Yrs.	Mos.	Dys.			
Jan. 16.	Newbury...	Angie J. Eaton.....	78	1	8	Newbury .....	Hosea W. Brockway....	Lurette Blood.
24.	Newbury...	Virgil C. Brockway.....	76	4	4	Bradford .....	Jonathan Cheney.....	Pauline Bennett.
Mar. 27.	Manchester.	Mark W. Cheney.....	78	3	8	Derry .....	Frederick Spollett....	
Apr. 13.	Newbury...	Clarence K. Spollett....	74	8	12	Sunapee .....	John Eayers.....	
28.	Newbury...	James E. Eayers.....	71	3	21	Hillsborough .....	Jonathan Cheney.....	Bailey.
May 24.	Newbury...	Hiram B. Cheney.....	82	4	12	Bradford .....	Charles C. Messer.....	Pauline Bennett.
28.	Newbury...	Vinzev C. Messer.....	18	.	1	Charleston, Vt. ....	William Gilbreath.....	Jennie M. Weeks.
Aug. 10.	Sutton.....	Ralph P. Gibbrea h.....	73	2	24	Bradford .....	Adopted .....	Polly Cole.
Oct. 3.	No. Andover	Leander Herbert Lewis..	42	4	29			
Dec. 30.	Newbury...	Alma C. Wilmarth.....	54	4	22			
		Flora T. Ring.....	65	4	27	Newbury .....	Nathan Currier .....	Louisa Jones.

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